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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION - HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE

REF: (A) GENEVA 1202; (B) GENEVA 1107; (C) GENEVA 1056

1. TEXT OF LATEST VERSION OF YUGOSLAV DRAFT RES  
THIS SUBJECT FOLLOWS AT END OF THIS MESSAGE (PREVIOUS  
DRAFT REPORTED REF. (B)). TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE,  
DRAFT HAS NOT BEEN FORMALLY SUBMITTED BUT IS MAKING THE  
ROUNDS IN BACK OF ROOM, PARTICULARLY AMONG AFRO-ASIAN REPS.

2. EFFORT IS OBVIOUS ATTEMPT AT COMPROMISE BETWEEN  
SOVIET DRAFT RES (SEE REF.(A)) AND UK-NETHERLANDS-  
NICARAGUA DRAFT (SEE REF. (C)). PREAMBULAR PARAS AN  
ESSENTIALLY ACCURATE RECOUNTING OF PREVIOUS ACTIONS BY  
UN AND RELATED BODIES THOUGH REFERENCE TO POSSIBLE  
IMPROVEMENTS IN SITUATION OMITTED. IN OPERATIVE SECTION,  
IDEA OF WORKING GROUP HEADED BY HRC CHAIRMAN ACCEPTED  
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THOUGH MEMBERSHIP INCREASED TO FIVE (PROBABLY TO

PERMIT GEOGRAPHICAL REPRESENTATION) THOUGH BASIS  
OF SELECTION OF WORKING GROUP LEFT OPEN. NEW OPERA-  
TIVE PARA. 2 CALLS ON GOC TO "RESTORE" BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS.

3. COMMENT: WE HAVE NOT HAD TIME TO GET  
REACTIONS ON THIS DRAFT FROM CHILE OBSERVERS OR  
OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES. FOR MOMENT, HOWEVER,  
WEOS AND LAS SEEM TO BE HOLDING FIRM ON NO COMPROMISE  
POSITION BUT PICTURE MAY CHANGE WHEN YUGOSLAV RES  
FORMALLY SURFACED.

4. TEXT FOLLOWS:

QTE. THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS,  
RECALLING THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND  
THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS,

RECALLING ITS TELEGRAM DATED 1 MARCH 1974  
SENT TO THE CHILEAN AUTHORITIES, IN WHICH THE  
COMMISSION CALLED FOR THE IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF  
ANY KIND OF VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTED  
CONTRARY TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THE UNITED NATIONS  
CHARTER AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS,  
INCLUDING THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS,

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE APPEAL MADE BY THE  
ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL IN ITS RESOLUTION 1873  
(LVI) OF 17 MAY 1974 TO THE CHILEAN AUTHORITIES TO  
TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO RESTORE AND SAFEGUARD  
BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS IN  
THAT COUNTRY, PARTICULARLY IN THOSE CASES INVOLVING  
A THREAT TO HUMAN LIFE AND LIBERTY,

NOTING THAT THE SUB-COMMISSION ON PREVENTION  
OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROTECTION OF MINORITIES IN  
ITS RESOLUTION 8 (XXVII) OF 21 AUGUST 1974 MADE AN  
URGENT APPEAL TO OBSERVE THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION  
OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND TO COMPLY WITH THE INTERNATIONAL  
COVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS SIGNED AND RATIFIED BY  
THE GOVERNMENT OF CHILE,  
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NOTING THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE 59TH SESSION  
OF THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR CONFERENCE OF 24 JUNE  
1974 AND OF THE 18TH SESSION OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE  
OF UNESCO OF 7 NOVEMBER 1974, CONDEMNING FLAGRANT  
VIOLATIONS OF BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE,

TAKING NOTE OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION

3219 (XXIX) OF 14 NOVEMBER 1974 EXPRESSING ITS  
DEEPEST CONCERN ABOUT THE FLAGRANT VIOLATIONS OF  
BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS IN  
CHILE, AND IN PARTICULAR CRUEL, INHUMAN OR  
DEGRADING FORMS OF TREATMENT OF POLITICAL  
PRISONERS IN CHILE,

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE INFORMATION AND  
REPORTS FROM A WIDE VARIETY OF SOURCES RELATING  
TO TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL, INHUMAN AND DEGRADING  
TREATMENT OR PUNISHMENT, AS WELL AS OTHER SERIOUS  
VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE,

DEEPLY CONCERNED BY THE ACCOUNTS OF SERIOUS  
VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS WHICH HAVE BEEN  
BROUGHT TO THE NOTICE OF THE COMMISSION,

CONSIDERING THAT, NOTWITHSTANDING ALL THE  
APPEALS MADE BY VARIOUS ORGANS OF THE UNITED  
NATIONS SYSTEM, GROSS AND MASSIVE VIOLATIONS OF  
HUMAN RIGHTS, SUCH AS ARBITRARY ARRESTS, TORTURE  
AND CRUEL, INHUMAN AND DEGRADING TREATMENT OF  
POLITICAL PRISONERS AND DETAINEES, INCLUDING FORMER  
MEMBERS OF THE CHILEAN GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT,  
CONTINUE TO BE REPORTED,

HAVING EXAMINED THE QUESTION OF THE REPORTED  
VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE,

1. EXPRESSES ONCE AGAIN ITS SERIOUS CONCERN  
ABOUT CONTINUING GROSS AND MASS VIOLATIONS OF BASIC  
HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS IN CHILE;

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2. URGES THE CHILEAN AUTHORITIES TO IMPLEMENT  
WITHOUT DELAY THE PROVISIONS OF THE COMMISSION'S  
TELEGRAM, GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3219 (XXIX)  
AND THE ABOVE MENTIONED RESOLUTIONS OF OTHER ORGANS  
WITH A VIEW TO RESTORING BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS AND  
FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS, PARTICULARLY THOSE INVOLVING  
A THREAT TO HUMAN LIFE AND LIBERTY, TO PUT AN END  
TO ARBITRARY ARRESTS, TORTURE AND FORCED MASS  
EXILE, TO RELEASE ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN  
DETAINED WITHOUT CHARGE OR IMPRISONED SOLELY FOR  
POLITICAL REASONS AND TO CONTINUE TO GRANT SAFE  
CONDUCT TO THOSE WHO DESIRE IT,

3. DECIDES THAT A WORKING GROUP OF FIVE  
MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS, UNDER

THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION,  
SHALL INQUIRE INTO THE PRESENT SITUATION OF HUMAN  
RIGHTS IN CHILE AND INTO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE  
RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY UNITED NATIONS ORGANS;

4. REQUESTS THE WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE  
IN PARTICULAR THE CIRCUMSTANCES AND CONDITIONS IN  
WHICH PERSONS ARE HELD IN DETENTION;

5. APPEALS TO THE CHILEAN AUTHORITIES TO  
EXTEND ITS FULL CO-OPERATION TO THE WORKING GROUP  
IN FULFILLING ITS TASK, INCLUDING THE GRANTING OF  
ALL NECESSARY FACILITIES AND COMPLETE FREEDOM OF  
MOVEMENT IN THE COUNTRY FOR THIS PURPOSE;

6. REQUESTS THE GROUP TO REPORT THE RESULTS  
OF ITS INQUIRIES TO THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS  
AT ITS THIRTY-SECOND SESSION AND TO SUBMIT A PROGRESS  
REPORT ON ITS FINDINGS TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL  
FOR INCLUSION IN HIS REPORT TO THE THIRTIETH SESSION  
OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNDER GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
RESOLUTION 3219 (XXIX);

7. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO RENDER  
TO THE GROUP ALL ASSISTANCE WHICH IT MIGHT REQUIRE  
IN ITS WORK;  
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8. RECOMMENDS TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL  
COUNCIL TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PROVISION OF  
ADEQUATE FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND STAFF FOR THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION;

9. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO BRING  
THE PRESENT RESOLUTION TO THE NOTICE OF THE CHILEAN  
AUTHORITIES;

10. DECIDES TO CONSIDER AT ITS THIRTY-SECOND  
SESSION AS A MATTER OF HIGH PRIORITY THE QUESTION  
OF GROSS AND MASS VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE.  
END QTE. DALE

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